

SECTION A: AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

In the Claims:

Claims 1-9 (Canceled)

10. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for testing the presence of both drugs and adulterants in a bodily fluid, the apparatus comprising:

a first region including a first compartment;

a second region separate from the first region including a second compartment,
wherein said second compartment is physically separated from said first
compartment;

a non-immunoassay adulterant test strip disposed in the first region;

a drug test strip disposed in the second region and detached from the adulterant
test strip;

a first aperture disposed in the first region and open to the adulterant test strip,
the adulterant test strip being configured to receive a sample of the bodily
fluid and to display adulteration test results through the first aperture; and

a second aperture disposed in the second region and open to the drug test strip.

11. (Original) The apparatus of claim 10 wherein the first region comprises:
a first space for receiving the adulterant test strip; and
a first plurality of dividers preventing fluid communication between the drug test strip and the adulterant test strip.
12. (Original) The apparatus of claim 11 wherein the second region comprises:
a second space for receiving the drug test strip; and
a second plurality of dividers holding the drug test strip in place.
13. (Original) The apparatus of claim 10 further comprising a third aperture disposed in the second region, wherein:
the second aperture is open to an initial absorption portion of the drug test strip;
and
the third aperture is open to an indicator portion of the drug test strip.
14. (Original) The apparatus of claim 10 further comprising a separator separating the first region from the second region.
15. (Original) The apparatus of claim 14 wherein the separator comprises a recessed floor in the first region.
16. (Original) The apparatus of claim 14 wherein the separator comprises a raised floor in the second region.
17. (Original) The apparatus of claim 14 wherein the separator comprises a barrier disposed between the first region and the second region.

18. (Original) The apparatus of claim 10 wherein the adulterant test strip comprises a backing, an absorption pad disposed on the backing, and an adulteration test pad disposed on the absorption pad.

Claims 19-22 (Canceled).

23. (Currently Amended) A method for manufacturing a combination drug and adulterant testing device, the method comprising:

providing a main body having at least a first region and a second region ;

disposing an adulterant test strip in the first region ;

disposing a drug test strip in the second region that is detached from the

adulterant test strip, wherein said drug test strip and said adulterant test strip are not coupled to a common membrane;

separating the adulterant test strip from the drug test strip to prevent any fluid communication therebetween;

providing visual and physical access to the adulterant test strip with a first aperture in the first region; and

providing physical access to the drug test strip with a second aperture in the second region.

24. (Original) The method of claim 23 wherein providing a main body having at least a first region and a second region comprises providing a base and a cover.

25. (Original) The method of claim 24 wherein separating the adulterant test strip from the drug test strip to prevent any fluid communication therebetween comprises:

forming a first compartment for receiving the adulterant test strip; and
forming a separate second compartment for receiving the drug test strip.

26. (Original) The method of claim 25 wherein:

forming a first compartment for receiving the adulterant test strip comprises

forming a recessed floor and a first plurality of protrusions surrounding the recessed floor; and

forming a second compartment for receiving the drug test strip comprises forming a recess and a second plurality of protrusions surrounding the recess.

27. (Original) The method of claim 26 wherein:

disposing an adulterant test strip in the first region comprises disposing the adulterant test strip in the first compartment; and

disposing a drug test strip in the second region comprises disposing the drug test strip in the second compartment.

28. (Original) The method of claim 24 wherein:

providing access to the adulterant test strip comprises forming a first aperture in the cover that is open to the adulterant test strip; and

providing access to the drug test strip comprises forming a second aperture in the cover that is open to the drug test strip.

29. (Original) The method of claim 28 further comprising forming a third aperture that is open to an indicator portion of the drug test strip.

Claims 30-32 (Canceled).